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Application GRANTED. The conference is Set For 7,29,09 at 2:45 m in Courtroom 20-C

TULA CROTTY UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

Re:

Crossbow Cement S.A. v. Mohamed Ali Saleh Al-Hashedi and Brothers

08 Civ. 5074 (MD) (PAC)

Dear Judge Baer:

MEMO ENDORSED

We are new attorneys for the Rule B defendant Mohamed Ali Saleh Al-Hashedi. The Court, by order dated June 1,2009 entered a notice of dismissal, transferred defendant's funds to the Court's registry; relieved Mr. Wanchoo as counsel for plaintiff and dismissed the action without prejudice.

Nothing is happening in the GAFTA arbitration required under the Sales Contract. Defendant's funds have been consigned to sit in "limbo."

We respectfully request that the Court schedule a conference so that we can seek restoration of the action to the Court's active docket and file a motion to vacate.

Respectfully submitted.

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